Facility Name:

**Bally Site** 

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Location:

Route 100, Bally, Pennsylvania

EPA Region:

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Person(s) in Charge of the Facility:

Name of Reviewer: Charles Meyer

Date:

August 29, 1985

General Description of the Facility:

The Bally Site consists of the borough of Bally well field, located off Route 100. The Bally well field is the public water source for the borough of Bally and uses groundwater, as do all domestic and municipal supplies within a 3-mile radius. Well no. 3 in Bally's system was found to be contaminated with up to 3,000 ppb trichloroethylene from an unknown source.

Scores:

$$S_{M} = 37.93$$

$$(S_{gw} = 65.62 S_{sw} = 0)$$

$$S_{sw} = 0$$

$$S_a = 0$$

$$S_{FE} = 0$$

$$S_{DC} = 0$$

FIGURE 1

HRS COVER SHEET

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			Groun	d Wa	te	r Route Wor	k-Sheel	1	•		
	Rating Factor					d Value One)		Multi- plier	Score	Max Score	Ref. (Section
0	Observed Release	•	0		•	45		1	45	45	3.1
	If observed release	_									
2	Route Characteris Depth to Aquife Concern		0	1	2	3		2		6	3.2
	Net Precipitation Permeability of I Unsaturated Zo	he	0	1 2	2 2 <sub>.</sub>	3 3		1	·	. 3 . 3	
	Physical State		0	1 :	2	3		1		.3	
	l		Total Rou	te C	18f	acteristics S	icore			15	
3	Containment		0	1 2	2	3		1		3	3.3
1	Waste Characteris Toxicity/Persiste Hazardous Waste Quantity	ence				9 12 15 18 3 4 5 6		† 1	18	18	3.4
		1	Total Was	te Ci	iar.	acteristics S	core		19	28	
	Targets Ground Water Us Distance to Near Well/Population Served	est	0 12 24	1 4 16 30	18	3 8 10 20 40		<b>3</b> 1	9 35	9 40	3.5
n	·					ets Score			44	49	
	fline 1 is 45, r	nuitiply [ uitiply [2				× 5		,	37,620	57,330	
] [	Divide line 6 by	57 330 ac	ed muiticle	v av	10	Λ			65.62		

FIGURE 2 GROUND WATER ROUTE WORK SHEET Sue Russell Sept. 9, 1985 100003

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	Surface Water Route Work Sheet											
	Rating Factor_		Assigned Value (Circle One)			Multi- plier	Score	Max. Score	Ref. (Section)			
	Observed Release	•	0				45		1	0	45	4.1
	If observed releas								•			
2	Route Characteris	tics									**************************************	4.2
	Facility Slope ar Terrain	nd Intervenir	<b>ig</b> 0	1	2	3			1		3	
	1-yr. 24-hr. Rain: Distance to Nea		0	1	2 2	3			1 2		3	
	Water	. 631 0011400	•	•	_	-			•		6	
	Physical State	<del></del>	0	1	2	3			1		3	<del></del>
		To	tal Rou	ite C	hai	racte	ristics	Score		0	15	
3	Containment		0	1	2	3			1	0	3	4.3
4	Waste Characteris		_									4.4
	Toxicity/Persiste Hazardous Wast Quantity		0	3	5 2	9 12	2 15	18 6 7 8	1		18 8	ı
		То	tai Was	ste C	hai	racte	ristics	Score		0	25	
5	Targets											4.5
	Surface Water U  Distance to a Se	=	0	1			3 3		3 2		9 5	
	Environment Population Serve		1 0	4			8 10	)	1		40	
	to Water Intake Downstream		12	16 30	3	8 2	0 5 40	)				
			To	tal T	arg	ets S	Score			0	55	
6		multiply 1				_	5]			0	64,350	
7	Divide line 6 by	/ 64,350 and	multip	ly b	y 10	00			S <sub>sw</sub> =	0	1	

FIGURE 7 SURFACE WATER ROUTE WORK SHEET

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(red) Air Route Work Sheet Assigned Value Multi-Max. Ref. Rating Factor Score (Circle One) plier Score (Section) 1 Observed Release 45 ٥ 5.1 Date and Location: Sampling Protocol: If line 1 is 0, the  $S_2 = 0$ . Enter on line 5. If line 1 is 45, then proceed to line 2. 2 Waste Characteristics 5.2 Reactivity and 0 1 2 3 Incompatibility Toxicity 0 1 2 3 Hazardous Waste - Quantity Total Waste Characteristics Score 20 3 Targets 5.3 0 9 12 15 18 Population Within 30 4-Mile Radius 1 21 24 27 30 Distance to Sensitive 0 0 1 2 3 6 Environment Land Use 0 1 2 3 3 Total Targets Score 39 Multiply  $1 \times 2 \times 3$ 35,100 5 Divide line 4 by 35,100 and multiply by 100 Sa =

> FIGURE 9 AIR ROUTE WORK SHEET

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, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	s	s <sup>2</sup>
Groundwater Route Score (Sgw)	65.62	4305.98
Surface Water Route Score (S <sub>SW</sub> )	_	
Air Route Score (Sa)	_	
$s_{gw}^2 + s_{sw}^2 + s_{a}^2$		4305.98
$\sqrt{s_{gw}^2 + s_{sw}^2 + s_a^2}$		65.62
$\sqrt{s_{gw}^2 + s_{sw}^2 + s_a^2} / 1.73 = s_M =$		37.93

FIGURE 10 WORKSHEET FOR COMPUTING SM

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(reci)Fire and Explosion Work Sheet Assigned Value Multi-Max. Ref. Rating Factor\_ Score (Circle One) plier Score (Section) 1 Containment 1 3 1 3 0 7.1 2 Waste Characteristics 7.2 Direct Evidence Ignitability 0 2 3 3 Reactivity 1 2 3 3 Incompatibility 0 2 3 Hazardous Waste 2 Quantity Total Waste Characteristics Score 20 3 Targets 7.3 Distance to Nearest 1 5 Population Distance to Nearest 0 1 2 3 3 Building Distance to Sensitive 0 1 2 3 3 Environment Land Use 0 1 2 3 Population Within 2-Mile Radius **Buildings** Within 0 1 2 3 4 5 2-Mile Radius į **Total Targets Score** 24 4 Multiply  $1 \times 2 \times 3$ 1,440 Divide line 4 by 1,440 and multiply by 100 SFE =

> FIGURE 11 FIRE AND EXPLOSION WORK SHEET

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		Oir	ect (	Cont	act Wor	k Sheet				
	Rating Factor	A	ssig: (Circ	ned le (	Value One)		Multi- plier	Score	Max. Score	Ref. (Section)
0	Observed Incident	0			45		1	0	45	8.1
	If line 1 is 45, proceed to 1 is 0, proceed to		]							
2	Accessibility	0	1 .	2 :	3 -	-	1	0	3	8.2
3	Containment	0	1	5			1	δ	15	8.3
4	Waste Characteristics Toxicity	o	1	2 3	3		5	0	15	8.4
[3]	Targets Population Within a 1-Mile Radius Distance to a Critical Habitat	0		2 3			4		20	8.5
		Tot	al Ta	rge	s Score			0	32	
	If line 1 is 45, multiply If line 1 is 0, multiply		× [		د ع			0	21.500	
7	Divide line 6 by 21,600 a	and multipl	v hu	100			300 =			

FIGURE 12 DIRECT CONTACT WORK SHEET

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#### DOCUMENTATION RECORDS FOR HAZARD RANKING SYSTEM

INSTRUCTIONS: The purpose of these records is to provide a convenient way to prepare an auditable record of the data and documentation used to apply the Hazard Ranking System to a given facility. As briefly as possible, summarize the information you used to assign the score for each factor (e.g. "Waste quantity equals 4,230 drums plus 800 cubic yards of sludges"). The source of information should be provided for each entry and should be a bibliographic-type reference that will make the document and for a given point easier to find. Include the location of the document and consider appending a copy of the relevant page(s) for ease in review.

FACILITY NAME: Bally Site

LOCATION: Route 100, Bally, Pennsylvania

COORDINATES: Latitude 40° 24' 6"

Longitude 75° 35' 30"

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#### **GROUND WATER ROUTE**

#### 1 OBSERVED RELEASE

#### Contaminants detected (5 maximum):

chloroform tetracloroethane 1,1,1-trichloroethane trichloroethene 1,1-dichloroethene

#### Rationale for attributing the contaminants to the facility:

The above contaminants were detected in one or more of the following wells: Bally municipal well no. 3, Bally municipal well no. 1, Bally Case & Cooler monitoring well, home well located 1000 feet northeast of well no. 3. Although the source of the contamination is not confirmed at present, it is thought to originate from the Bally Case & Cooler property, which was the site of three lagoons used for plant waste disposal.

Reference nos. 2 and 13

#### 2 ROUTE CHARACTERISTICS

#### Depth to Aquifer of Concern

#### Name/description of aquifer(s) of concern:

Municipal well no. 3 was drilled into the Brunswick Formation. According to the Atlas of Preliminary Geologic Quadrangles, East Greenville Quadrangle, the well can be found straddling the Hardyston Formation and the Brunswick Formation. The Brunswick Formation, as an aquifer, ranges in depth from 18 to 500 feet deep. Surrounding geology includes the Hardyston Formation, Leithsville Formation, Limestone Fanglomerate, and gneiss. The geologic units in the vicinity of the site are hydrologically connected. The description of the units in reference no. 7 indicates that all the rock formations have a moderate abundance of fractures. The Brunswick, Hardyston, and Leithsville Formations are fractured in a block type pattern. The granitic gneiss and Limestone Fanglomerate units have an irregular joint pattern. The fractures for all the formations are steeply dipping to vertical and are open. These fractures would interconnect across the rock formation boundaries. Evidence of this condition is a smooth gradient of the water table as it crosses from one formation to another. If these formations were not hydrologically connected, there would likely be a recognized significant change in the well water levels across the geologic formations.

Reference nos. 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8

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Depth(s) from the ground surface to the highest seasonal level of the saturated zone (water table(s)) of the aquifer of concern:

Depth from th	e ground surface	to the lowest	point of w	aste disposal/storage:
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N/A

#### Net Precipitation

Mean annual or seasonal precipitation (list months for seasonal):

N/A

Mean annual lake or seasonal evaporation (list months for seasonal):

N/A

Net precipitation (subtract the above figures):

N/A

#### Permeability of Unsaturated Zone

Soil type in unsaturated zone:

N/A

Permeability associated soil type:

N/A

#### **Physical State**

Physical state of substances at time of disposal (or at present time for generated gases):

N/A

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#### 3 CONTAINMENT

#### Containment

Method(s) of waste or leachate containment evaluated:

N/A

Method with highest score:

N/A

**WASTE CHARACTERISTICS** 

#### Toxicity and Persistence

Compound(s) evaluated:	Toxicity	Persistence	Matrix value
chloroform	3	3	18
tetrachloroethene	2	2	12
1,1,1-trichloroethane	2	2	12
trichloroethene	2	2	12
1,1-dichloroethene	3	. 2	15

#### Compound with highest score:

(elevated levels) (low levels)

Chloroform (detected in July 11, 1985 sampling of wells #1 and #3; and well #3 pond) Reference nos. 1 and 9, 13

#### Hazardous Waste Quantity

Total quantity of hazardous substances at the facility, excluding those with a containment score of 0 (Give a reasonable estimate even if quantity is above maximum):

The total quantity of waste disposed is unknown because the source of contamination is unknown. However, since contamination has been detected, an assigned value of 1 was used for scoring.

Reference nos. 1 and 2

Basis of estimating and/or computing waste quantity:

There is waste present but the amount and source are unknown.

A value of 1 was assigned.

Reference nos. 1 and 2

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#### 5 TARGETS

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#### Groundwater Use

Use(s) of aquifer(s) of concern within a 3-mile radius of the facility:

Everyone within a 3-mile radius of the Bally Site is using the aquifer of concern because the areas are hydrologically connected although they may be drawing from different formations. There are no alternate supplies available at the present time.

A value of 3 was assigned.

Reference nos.

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#### Distance to Nearest Well

Location of nearest well drawing from <u>aquifer of concern</u> or occupied building not served by a public water supply:

The location of the nearest well, municipal well no. 3, is 0 feet.

Reference nos. 2 and 12

#### Distance to above well or building:

The distance is 0 feet. Well no. 3 is drawing from the contaminated aquifer of concern.

A value of 4 was assigned.

Reference nos. 2 and 12

#### Population Served by Ground Water Wells Within a 3-Mile Radius

Identified water-supply well(s) drawing from <u>aquifer(s)</u> of <u>concern</u> within a 3-mile radius and populations served by each:

The population serviced by groundwater within a 1-, 2-, and 3-mile radius of municipal well no. 3 is 1,569 persons, 3,002, and 5,126, respectively.

A value of 35 was assigned.

Reference nos. 1 and 10

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Computation of land area irrigated by supply well(s) drawing from <u>aquifer(s) of concern</u> within a 3-mile radius, and conversion to population (1.5 people per acre):

None

Total population served by groundwater within a 3-mile radius:

5,126 - computed by using 3.8 people per house. Total house count for a 3-mile radius.

Reference nos. 1 and 10

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#### SURFACE WATER ROUTE

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#### 1 OBSERVED RELEASE

Contaminants detected in surface water at the facility or downhill from it (5 maximum):

Surface water was not scored because no specific source of contamination can be proved at this time and no surface water samples were taken. Ranking is for the well field itself.

Rationale for attributing the contaminants to the facility:

N/A

2 ROUTE CHARACTERISTICS

Facility Slope and Intervening Terrain

Average slope of facility in percent:

N/A

Name/description of nearest downslope surface water:

N/A

Average slope of terrain between facility and above-cited surface water body in percent:

N/A

Is the facility located either totally or partially in surface water?

N/A

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Is the facility completely surrounded by areas of higher elevation?

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N/A

1-Year 24-Hour Rainfall in Inches

N/A

Distance to Nearest Downslope Surface Water

N/A

Physical State of Waste

N/A

**3 CONTAINMENT** 

Containment

Method(s) of waste or leachate containment evaluated:

N/A

Method with highest score:

N/A

**4 WASTE CHARACTERISTICS** 

Toxicity and Persistence

Compound(s) evaluated

N/A

Compound with highest score:

N/A

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#### **Hazardous Waste Quantity**

Total quantity of hazardous substances at the facility, excluding those with a containment score of 0 (Give a reasonable estimate even if quantity is above maximum):

N/A

Basis of estimating and/or computing waste quantity:

N/A

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**5 TARGETS** 

#### Surface Water Use

Use(s) of surface water within 3 miles downstream of the hazardous substance:

N/A

Is there tidal influence?

No

#### Distance to a Sensitive Environment

Distance to 5-acre (minimum) coastal wetland, if 2 miles or less:

N/A

Distance to 5-acre (minimum) fresh-water wetland, if 1 mile or less:

N/A

Distance to critical habitat of an endangered species or national wildlife refuge, if 1 mile or less:

N/A

Population Served by Suface Water

Location(s) of water-supply intake(s) within 3 miles (free-flowing bodies) or 1 mile (static water bodies) downstream of the hazardous substance and population served by each intake:

N/A

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Computation of land area irrigated by above-cited intake(s) and conversion to population (1.5 people per acre):

N/A

Total population served:

N/A

Name/description of nearest of above water bodies:

N/A

Distance to above-cited intakes, measured in stream miles.

N/A

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#### AIR ROUTE

#### 1 OBSERVED RELEASE

#### Contaminants detected:

There was not an observed release during sampling so no scoring was conducted.

Date and location of detection of contaminants:

N/A

Methods used to detect the contaminants:

N/A

Rationale for attributing the contaminants to the site:

N/A

**2 WASTE CHARACTERISTICS** 

Reactivity and Incompatibility

Most reactive compound:

N/A

Most incompatible pair of compounds:

N/A

**Toxicity** 

Most toxic compound:

N/A

Hazardous Waste Quantity

Total quantity of hazardous waste:

N/A

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Basis of estimating and/or computing waste quantity:

N/A

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#### 3 TARGETS

#### Population Within 4-Mile Radius

Circle radius used, give population, and indicate how determined: 0 to 4 mi 0 to 1 mi 0 to 1/2 mi 0 to 1/4 mi

N/A

#### Distance to a Sensitive Environment

Distance to 5-acre (minimum) coastal wetland, if 2 miles or less:

N/A

Distance to 5-acre (minimum) fresh-water wetland, if 1 mile or less:

N/A

Distance to critical habitat of an endangered species, if 1 mile or less:

N/A

#### Land Use

Distance to commercial/industrial area, if 1 mile or less:

N/A

Distance to national or state park, forest, or wildlife reserve, if 2 miles or less:

N/A

Distance to residential area, if 2 miles or less:

· N/A

Distance to agricultural land in production within past 5 years, if 1 mile or less:

N/A

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Distance to prime agricultural land in production within past 5 years, if 2 miles or less:

N/A

Is a historic or landmark site (National Register or Historic Places and National Landmarks) within the view of the site?

N/A

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#### FIRE AND EXPLOSION

#### 1 DOCUMENTED THREAT

If either a state or local fire marshal has certified that the facility presents a significant fire or explosion threat to the public or to sensitive environments, document the certification:

Name/affiliation of fire marshal:

As no source of contamination has been definitively identified, no site has been inspected by a fire marshal.

Date of Certification:

N/A

Comments:

N/A

If there is a demonstrated fire and explosion threat based on field observations, document the threat:

Inspectors reporting the threat:

N/A

Date of observations:

N/A

Methods used to document the threat:

N/A

Comments:

N/A

2 CONTAINMENT

Containment

Measure(s) taken to minimize or prevent hazardous substances from catching fire or exploding: Sur Reissell July 12, 1985

N/A

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#### **3 WASTE CHARACTERISTICS**

#### Direct Evidence

Type of measures taken:

N/A

Date and location of positive measurements:

N/A

#### Ignitability

Compound evaluated:

N/A

Compound with highest score:

N/A

#### Reactivity

Compounds evaluated:

N/A

Compound with highest score:

N/A

#### Incompatibility

Compounds evaluated:

N/A

Most incompatible pair of compounds:

N/A

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#### Hazardous Waste Quantity

Total quantity of hazardous waste:

N/A

Basis of estimating and/or computing waste quantity:

N/A

#### **4 TARGETS**

Distance to Nearest Population

N/A

Distance to Nearest Building

N/A

#### Distance to Nearest Sensitive Environment

Distance to wetlands, if less than 100 feet:

N/A

Distance to critical habitat of an endangered species, if greater than 1/2 mile:

N/A

#### Land Use

Distance to commercial industrial area, if 1 mile or less:

N/A

Distance to national or state park, forest, or wildlife reserve, if 2 miles or less:

N/A

Distance to residential area, if 2 miles or less:

N/A

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Distance to agricultural land in production within past 5 years, if 1 mile or lessied)

N/A

Distance to prime agricultural land in production within past 5 years, if 2 miles or less:

N/A

Is a historic or landmark site (National Register or Historic Places and National Natural Landmarks) within the view of the site?

N/A

Population Within 2-Mile Radius

N/A

Number of Buildings Within a 2-Mile Radius

N/A

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DIRECT CONTACT

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#### 1 OBSERVED INCIDENT

#### Pertinent details of incident:

The source of contamination is unknown; therefore, there is no direct contact other than through the drinking of contaminated water.

Location:

N/A

Date:

N/A

2 ACCESSIBILITY

#### Accessibility to Hazardous Substance

Measure(s) taken to limit access by humans or animals to the hazardous substances:

N/A

**3 CONTAINMENT** 

#### Containment

Indicate whether the hazardous substance itself is accessible to direct contact:

N/A

**4 WASTE CHARACTERISTICS** 

Population Within 1-mile Radius

N/A

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#### Distance to a Critical Habitat of an Endangered Species

There are no known critical habitats of endangered species in the vicinity of the site.

5 TARGETS

Population Within 1-mile Radius

N/A

Distance to a Critical Habitat of an Endangered Species

N/A

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ATTACHMENT 1

#### REFERENCES

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Reference <u>Number</u>	Description of the Reference
1.	Uncontrolled Hazardous Waste Site Ranking System; A Users Manual.
	National Oil and Hazardous Substances Contingency Plan, Appendix A (40 CFR 300) (47 FR 31219), July 16, 1982.
2.	NUS Corporation, FIT III. Site inspection report*, sample data summary sheets, sample location map, and quality assurance review of data. TDD No. F3-8308-33, September 19, 1983.
3.	Pennsylvania Bureau of Topographic and Geologic Survey. Atlas of Preliminary Geologic Quadrangle Maps of Pennsylvania, East Greenville Quadrangle. (With well locations from the state well inventory system.)
4.	Pennylsvania Bureau of Topographic and Geologic Survey Groundwater Inventory System (showing wells located within a 3-mile radius of the Bally Site).
5.	The Environment Geology Division. A Guide to DER's Bureau of Topographic and Geologic Survey Water Well Data System.
6.	Pennsylvania Bureau of Topographic and Geologic Survey. Groundwater in Southeastern Pennsylvania. Water Resources Report No. 2, reprint 1973.
7.	Department of Environmental Resources, Office of Resource Management Bureau of Topographic and Geologic Survey. Engineering Characteristics of the Rocks of Pennsylvania. Environmental Geology, Report No. 1, 1982.
8.	Spotts, Stevens, and McCoy, Incorporated, consultant to Bally. Bally Borough well logs from municipal well no. 3.
9.	Sax, Irving. Dangerous Properties of Industrial Materials, fifth edition.

\*Site Inspection report is available in EPA files.

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Number	Description of the Reference (red)
10.	U.S. Geologic Survey. East Greenville, Manatawny, Boyertown, and Sassmansville, Pennsylvania Quadrangles, 7.5 Minute Series. Topographic Map. (Three-mile radius for population count added by NUS Corporation.)
11.	Telecon between Eugene Smith (Bally Borough Manager) and Laura Boornazian (EPA Region III)
12.	dated 7/10/85. Spotts, Stevens, and McCoy, Incorporated, consultant to Bally Borough. Correspondence. February 2, 1983. (Concerning the fact that municipal well no. 3 is contaminated.)
13	Results of 6/25/85 sampling; analysis performed by Spotts, Stevens and McCoy, Inc.

Sue Russell Sept. 9, 1985

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The attacked pages were substituted for revised ones based on new info. received after this version was reviewed by Mitre. The new info. related to well sampling which turned up chloroform, thereby traising the toxicity value and the overell score.

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### ORIGINAL (red)

Facility Name:

**Bally Site** 

Location:

Route 100, Bally, Pennsylvania

**EPA Region:** 

III

Person(s) in Charge of the Facility:

Name of Reviewer: Charles Meyer

Date: June 27, 1985

#### General Description of the Facility:

The Bally Site consists of the borough of Bally well field, located off Route 100. The Bally well field is the public water source for the borough of Bally and uses groundwater, as do all domestic and municipal supplies within a 3-mile radius. Well no. 3 in Bally's system was found to be contaminated with up to 3,000 ppb trichloroethylene from an unknown source.

Scores:

$$S_{M} = 31.94$$

$$(S_{gw} = 55.26 S_{sw} = 0$$

$$S_{sw} = 0$$

$$S_a = 0$$

$$S_{FE} = 0$$

$$S_{DC} = 0$$

FIGURE 1

HRS COVER SHEET

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			Ground V	Vate	r Route W	ork Shee	t		(, -,	
	Rating Factor				d Value o One)		Multi- plier	Score	Max. Score	Ref. (Section)
1	Observed Release		0		45		1	45	45	3.1
	If observed releas									
2	Route Characteris Depth to Aquifer Concern		0 1	2	3		2		6	3.2
	Net Precipitation Permeability of t Unsaturated Zo	he	0 1 0 1	2 2.	3 3		1		3 3	
	Physical State		0 1	2	3		1		3	
			Total Route	Cha	racteristics	Score			15	c
3	Containment		0 1	2	3		1		3	3.3
4	Waste Characteris Toxicity/Persiste Hazardous Waste Quantity	ence	0 3 0 ①	6 2	9 12 (5) 1	8 6 7 8	1 1	15 <sup>-</sup>	18 8	3.4
	·		Total Waste	Cha	racteristics	Score		16	26	
3	Targets Ground Water Us Distance to Near Well/Population Served	est	0 1 0 4 12 16 24 30	6 18			3	9 35	9 40	3.5
	,		Total	Targ	ets Score			44	49	
<u></u>		multiply [	1 × 4 × 2 × 3 ×	<u>5</u>	x S			31,680	57,330	
7	Oivide line 6 by	y 57,330 a	and multiply t	y 1	00		s <sub>gw</sub> =	55. 6	26	

FIGURE 2
GROUND WATER ROUTE WORK SHEET

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·	s	s <sup>2</sup>
Groundwater Route Score (Sgw)	55.26	3053.67
Surface Water Route Score (S <sub>SW</sub> )		
Air Route Score (S <sub>2</sub> )		
$s_{gw}^2 + s_{sw}^2 + s_a^2$		3053.67
$\sqrt{s_{gw}^2 + s_{sw}^2 + s_a^2}$		55.26
$\sqrt{s_{gw}^2 + s_{sw}^2 + s_a^2} / 1.73 = s_M =$		31.94

FIGURE 10 WORKSHEET FOR COMPUTING  $s_{M}$ 

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#### **GROUND WATER ROUTE**

1 OBSERVED RELEASE

#### Contaminants detected (5 maximum):

tetracloroethane 1,1,1-trichloroethane trichloroethene 1,1-dichloroethene

#### Rationale for attributing the contaminants to the facility:

The borough of Bally uses a well field which showed the presence of high concentrations of the aforementioned organic contaminants in well no. 3 and/or a monitoring well located 1,000 feet from municipal well no. 3. A home well located 1,000 feet to the northeast of well no. 3 also indicated high levels. Two thousand feet to the north of well no. 3, municipal well no. 1 shows low-level contamination. At the present time, a source of contamination has not been confirmed.

Reference no. 2

#### **2 ROUTE CHARACTERISTICS**

#### Depth to Aquifer of Concern

#### Name/description of aquifer(s) of concern:

Municipal well no. 3 was drilled into the Brunswick Formation. According to the Atlas of Preliminary Geologic Quadrangles, East Greenville Quadrangle, the well can be found straddling the Hardyston Formation and the Brunswick Formation. The Brunswick Formation, as an aquifer, ranges in depth from 18 to 500 feet deep. Surrounding geology includes the Hardyston Formation, Leithsville Formation, Limestone Fanglomerate, and gneiss. The geologic units in the vicinity of the site are hydrologically connected. The description of the units in reference no. 7 indicates that all the rock formations have a moderate abundance of fractures. The Brunswick, Hardyston, and Leithsville Formations are fractured in a block type pattern. The granitic gneiss and Limestone Fanglomerate units have an irregular joint pattern. The fractures for all the formations are steeply dipping to vertical and are open. These fractures would interconnect across the rock formation boundaries. Evidence of this condition is a smooth gradient of the water table as it crosses from one formation to another. If these formations were not hydrologically connected, there would likely be a recognized significant change in the well water levels across the geologic formations.

Reference nos. 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8

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#### 3 CONTAINMENT



#### Containment

Method(s) of waste or leachate containment evaluated:

N/A

Method with highest score:

N/A

**4 WASTE CHARACTERISTICS** 

#### Toxicity and Persistence

#### Compound(s) evaluated:

	<b>Toxicity</b>	<u>Persistence</u>	Matrix Value
tetrachloroethene	2	2	12
1,1,1-trichloroethane	2	2	. 12
trichloroethene	2	2	12
1,1-dichloroethene	3	2	15

#### Compound with highest score:

1,1-Dichloroethene was the highest score with an assigned value of 15.

Reference nos. 1 and 9

#### **Hazardous Waste Quantity**

Total quantity of hazardous substances at the facility, excluding those with a containment score of 0 (Give a reasonable estimate even if quantity is above maximum):

The total quantity of waste disposed is unknown because the source of contamination is unknown. However, since contamination has been detected, an assigned value of 1 was used for scoring.

Reference nos. 1 and 2

Basis of estimating and/or computing waste quantity:

There is waste present but the amount and source are unknown.

A value of 1 was assigned.

Reference nos. 1 and 2

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10.	U.S. Geologic Survey. East Greenville, Manatawny, Boyertown, and Sassmansville, Pennsylvania Quadrangles, 7.5 Minute Series. Topographic Map. (Three-mile radius for population count added by NUS Corporation.)
11.	Telecon between Eugene Smith (Bally Borough Manager) and Laura Boornazian (EPA Region III)
12.	dated 7/10/85. Spotts, Stevens, and McCoy, Incorporated, consultant to Bally Borough. Correspondence. February 2, 1983. (Concerning the fact that municipal well no. 3 is contaminated.)
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